

# Shifting Demographics in Texas

**Texas House Transportation Committee**

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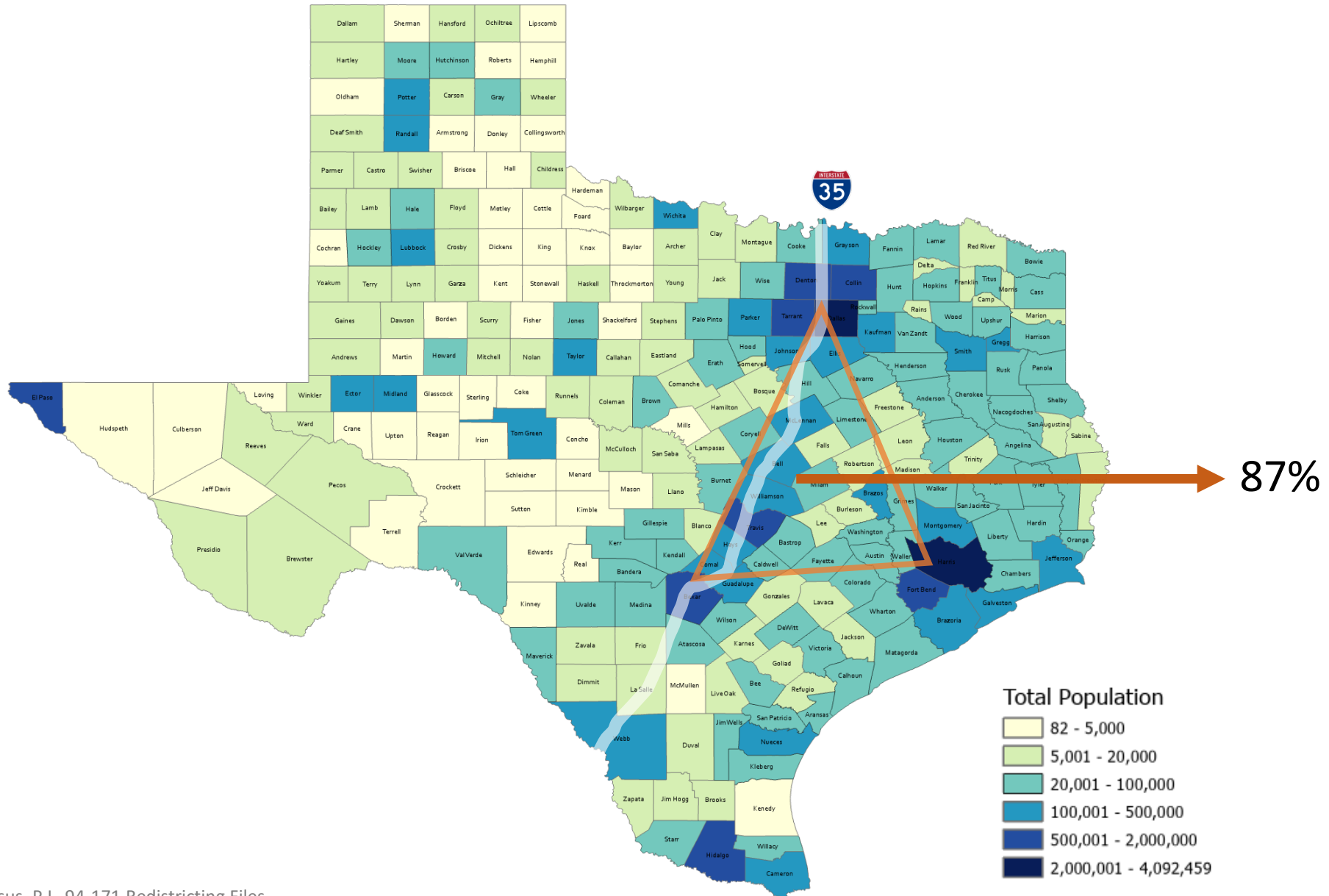
## States with Most Population Growth, 2010 to 2020

|                | 2010<br>Population | 2020<br>Population | Numeric<br>Change<br>2010-2020 | Percent<br>Change<br>2010-2020 | Numeric<br>Change<br>2020-21 |
|----------------|--------------------|--------------------|--------------------------------|--------------------------------|------------------------------|
| United States  | 308,745,538        | 331,449,281        | 22,703,743                     | 7.4%                           | 392,665                      |
| <b>Texas</b>   | <b>25,145,561</b>  | <b>29,145,505</b>  | <b>3,999,944</b>               | <b>15.9%</b>                   | 310,288                      |
| Florida        | 18,801,310         | 21,538,187         | 2,736,877                      | 14.6%                          | 211,196                      |
| California     | 37,253,956         | 39,538,223         | 2,284,267                      | 6.1%                           | -261,902                     |
| Georgia        | 9,687,653          | 10,711,908         | 1,024,255                      | 10.6%                          | 73,766                       |
| Washington     | 6,724,540          | 7,705,281          | 980,741                        | 14.6%                          | 19,907                       |
| North Carolina | 9,535,483          | 10,439,388         | 903,905                        | 9.5%                           | 93,985                       |
| New York       | 19,378,102         | 20,201,249         | 823,147                        | 4.2%                           | -319,020                     |
| Arizona        | 6,392,017          | 7,151,502          | 759,485                        | 11.9%                          | 98,330                       |
| Colorado       | 5,029,196          | 5,773,714          | 744,518                        | 14.8%                          | 27,761                       |
| Virginia       | 8,001,024          | 8,631,393          | 630,369                        | 7.9%                           | 10,230                       |
| Tennessee      | 6,346,105          | 6,910,840          | 564,735                        | 8.9%                           | 55,099                       |
| Utah           | 2,763,885          | 3,271,616          | 507,731                        | 18.4%                          | 56,291                       |

79% of  
U.S. Total

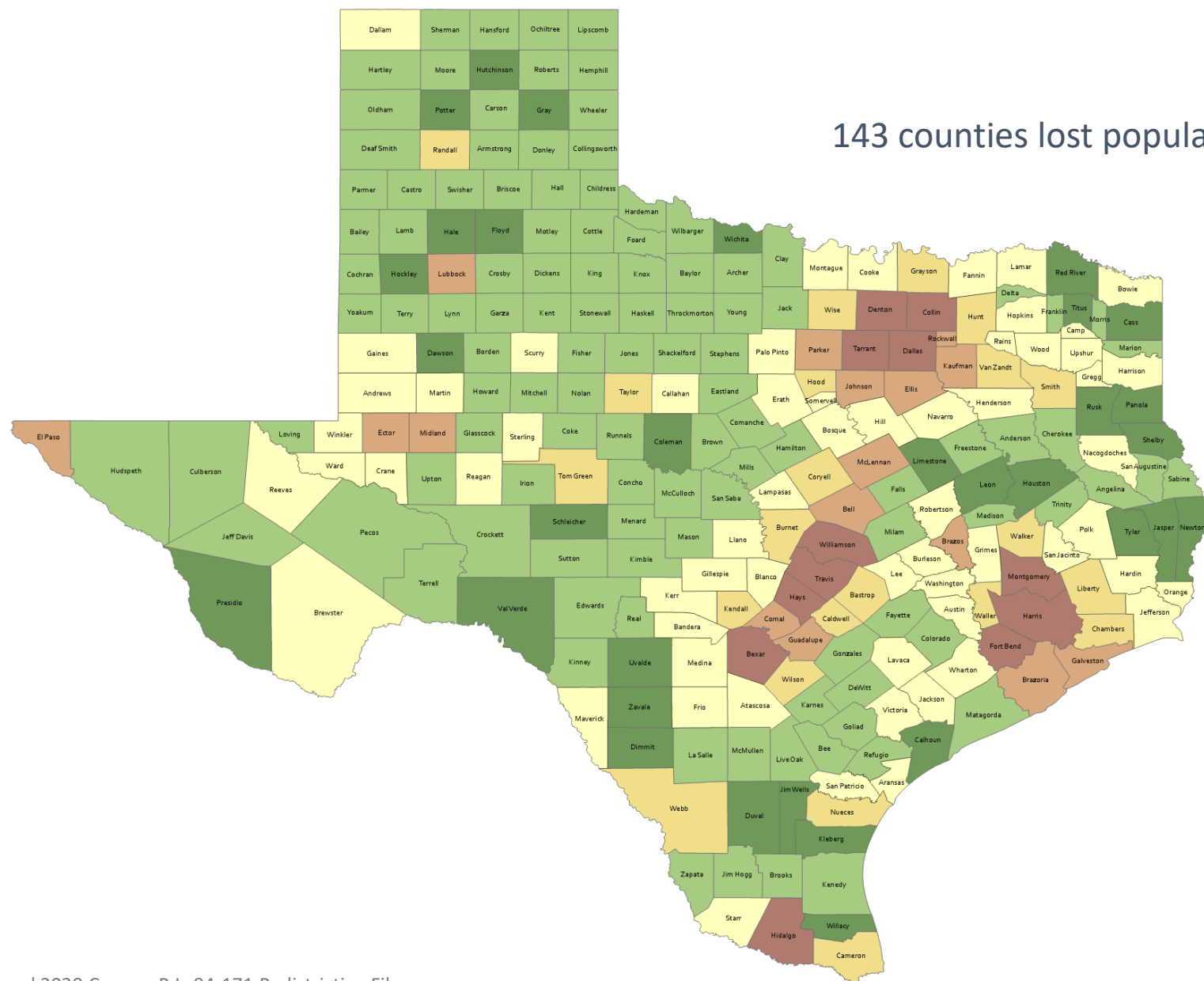


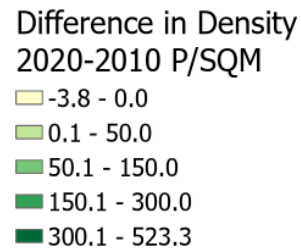
# Census 2020 Population, Texas Counties





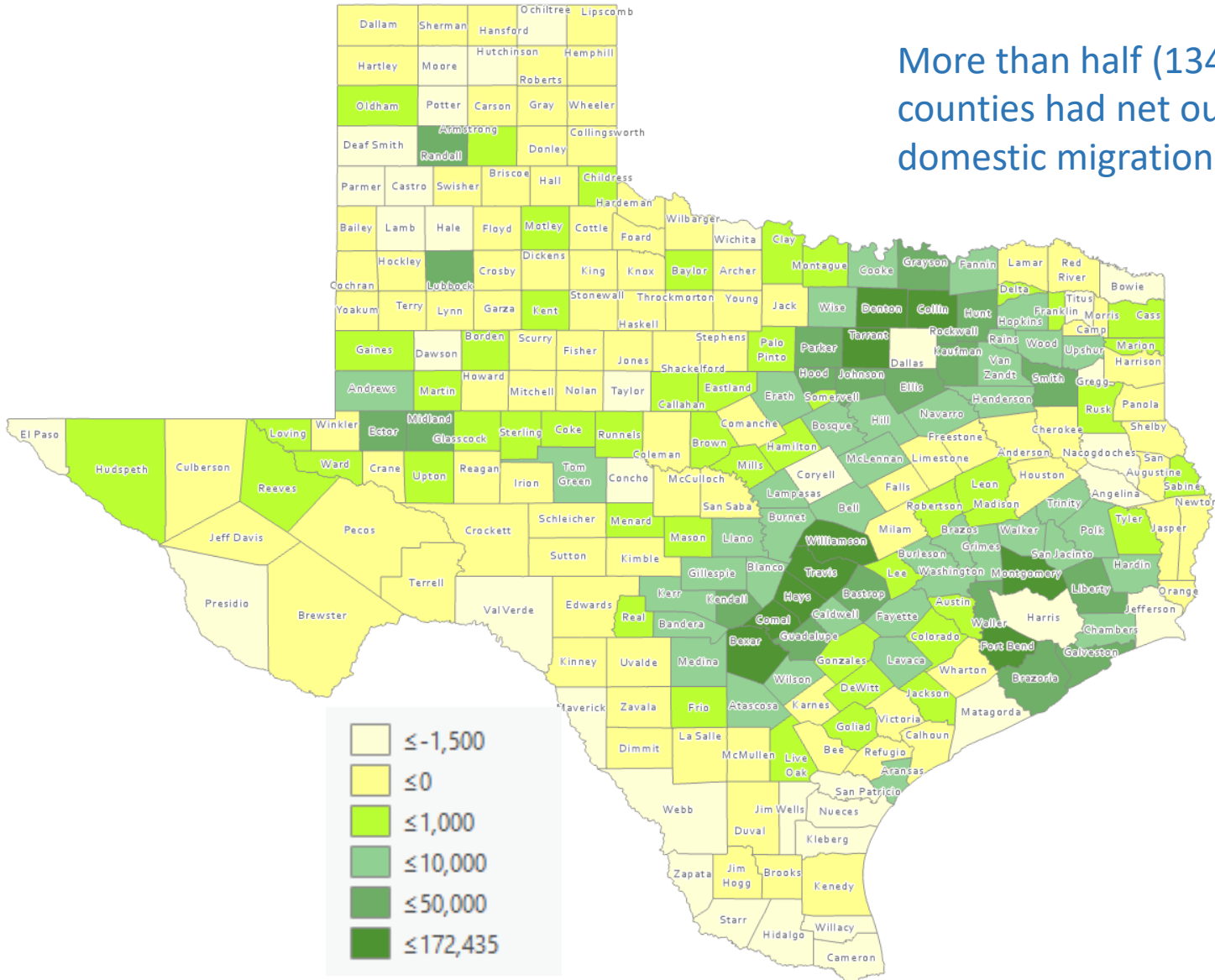
# Numeric Change, Texas Counties, 2010-2020







# Estimated Population Change from Domestic Migration, Texas Counties, 2010-2020



More than half (134) of counties had net out domestic migration



## Top Counties for Numeric Growth in Texas, 2010-2020

| County     | US Rank | 2020 Population Estimate | Population Change 2010-2020 | Percent of Change from Natural Increase | Percent of Change from International Migration | Percent of Change from Domestic Migration |
|------------|---------|--------------------------|-----------------------------|---|--|---|
| Harris     | 2       | 4,738,253                | 645,144                     | 68.6%                                   | 44.1%  | -12.7%                                    |
| Bexar      | 5       | 2,026,823                | 312,042                     | 46.1%                                   | 14.1%  | 39.9%                                     |
| Tarrant    | 6       | 2,123,347                | 312,002                     | 50.1%                                   | 19.7%  | 30.1%                                     |
| Collin     | 8       | 1,072,069                | 291,175                     | 23.8%                                   | 16.8%  | 59.4%                                     |
| Travis     | 9       | 1,300,503                | 276,189                     | 38.4%                                   | 19.6%  | 42.0%                                     |
| Dallas     | 11      | 2,635,888                | 267,732                     | 88.4%                                   | 44.2%  | -32.6%                                    |
| Denton     | 13      | 919,324                  | 257,709                     | 24.8%                                   | 8.9%   | 66.3%                                     |
| Fort Bend  | 14      | 839,706                  | 255,074                     | 24.1%                                   | 19.1%  | 56.8%                                     |
| Williamson | 20      | 617,855                  | 195,084                     | 20.4%                                   | 5.6%   | 74.0%                                     |
| Montgomery | 23      | 626,351                  | 170,611                     | 20.4%                                   | 7.7%   | 71.9%                                     |



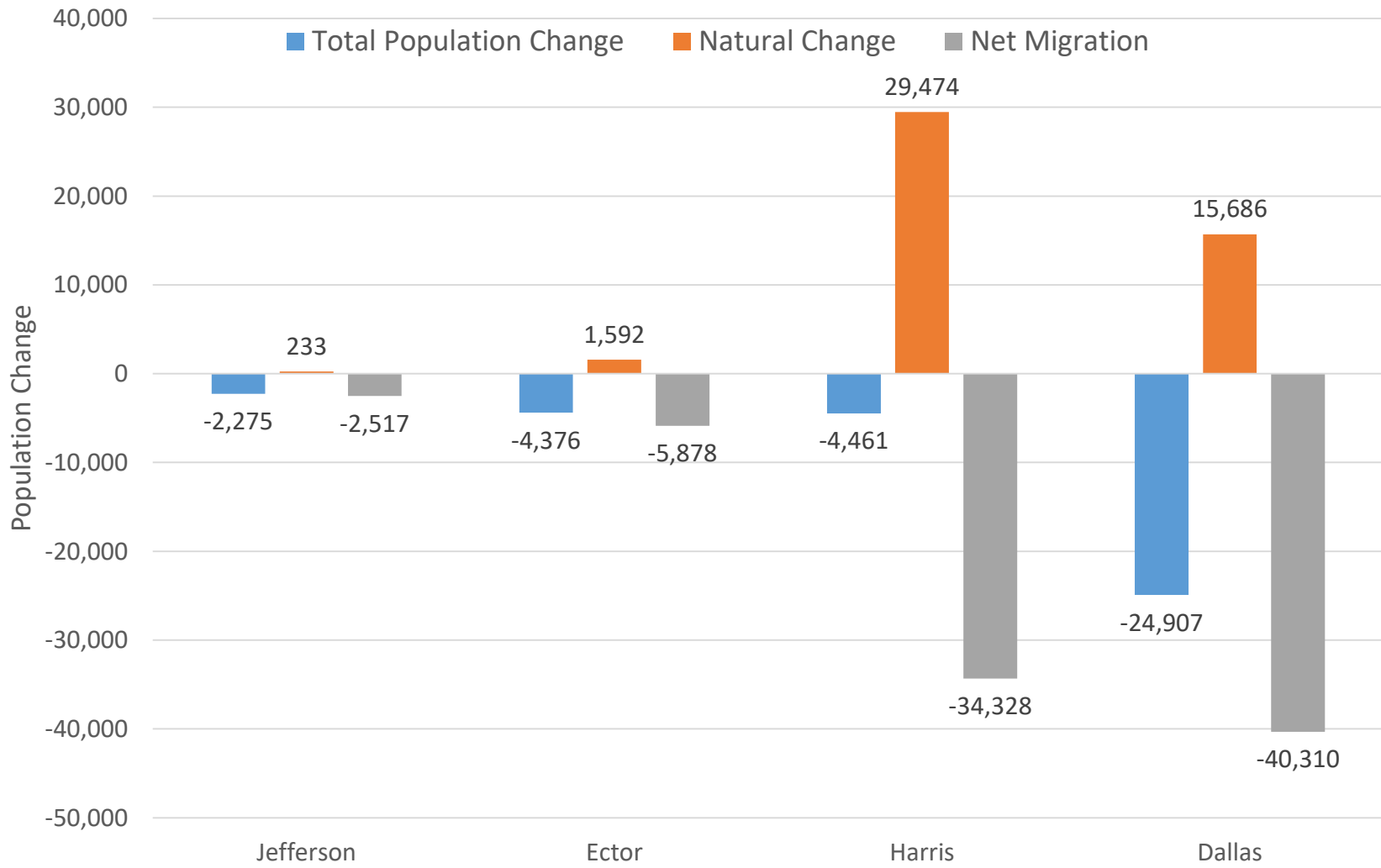


## Top Counties for Percent Growth in Texas, 2010-2020\*

| County     | US Rank | 2020 Population Estimate | Population Change 2010-2020 | Percent Population Change 2010-2020 | Percent of Population Change from Natural Increase | Percent of Population Change from International Migration | Percent of Population Change from Domestic Migration |
|------------|---------|--------------------------|-----------------------------|-------------------------------------|--|---|--|
| Hays       | 1       | 241,365                  | 84,387                      | 53.7%                               | 16.7%  | 3.6%  | 79.7%  |
| Comal      | 2       | 164,812                  | 56,287                      | 51.9%                               | 5.9%   | 1.8%  | 92.3%  |
| Williamson | 6       | 617,855                  | 195,084                     | 46.2%                               | 20.4%  | 5.6%  | 74.0%  |
| Fort Bend  | 7       | 839,706                  | 255,074                     | 43.6%                               | 24.1%  | 19.1%   | 56.8%  |
| Rockwall   | 11      | 109,888                  | 31,490                      | 40.2%                               | 14.9%  | 3.4%  | 81.7%  |
| Denton     | 13      | 919,324                  | 257,709                     | 38.9%                               | 24.8%  | 8.9%  | 66.3%  |
| Kaufman    | 15      | 143,198                  | 39,846                      | 38.6%                               | 17.3%  | 1.4%  | 81.2%  |
| Montgomery | 16      | 626,351                  | 170,611                     | 37.4%                               | 20.4%  | 7.7%  | 71.9%  |
| Collin     | 17      | 1,072,069                | 291,175                     | 37.2%                               | 23.8%  | 16.8%   | 59.4%  |
| Waller     | 22      | 57,452                   | 14,133                      | 32.7%                               | 22.7%  | 2.9%  | 74.4%  |
| Midland    | 29      | 177,863                  | 40,976                      | 29.9%                               | 42.6%  | 9.0%  | 48.3%  |
| Guadalupe  | 31      | 170,608                  | 39,086                      | 29.7%                               | 19.9%  | 2.1%  | 78.0%  |
| Ellis      | 35      | 191,760                  | 42,111                      | 28.1%                               | 21.8%  | 2.1%  | 76.1%  |

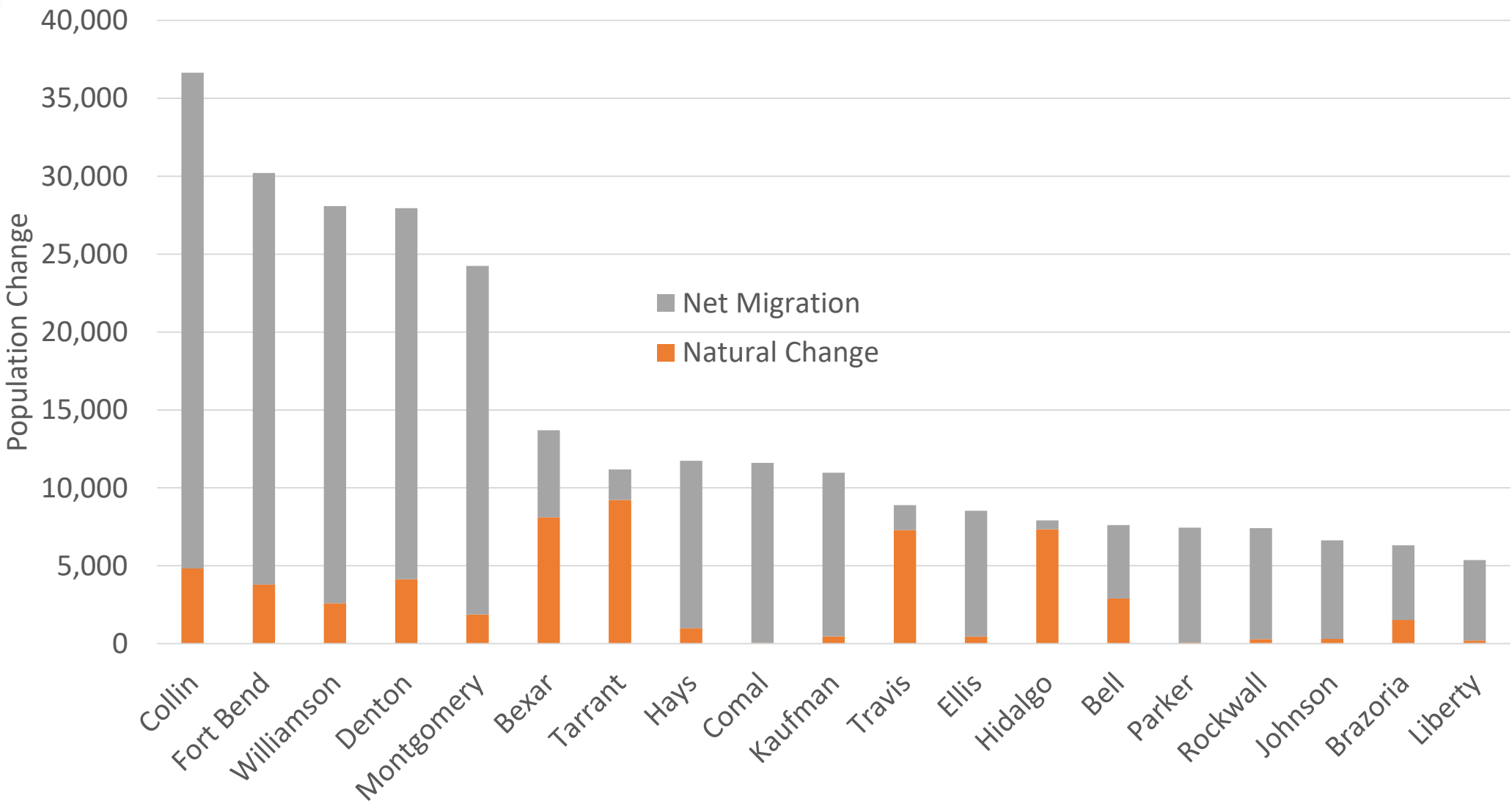


# Counties with the most population loss by components of change, Texas, 2020-2021





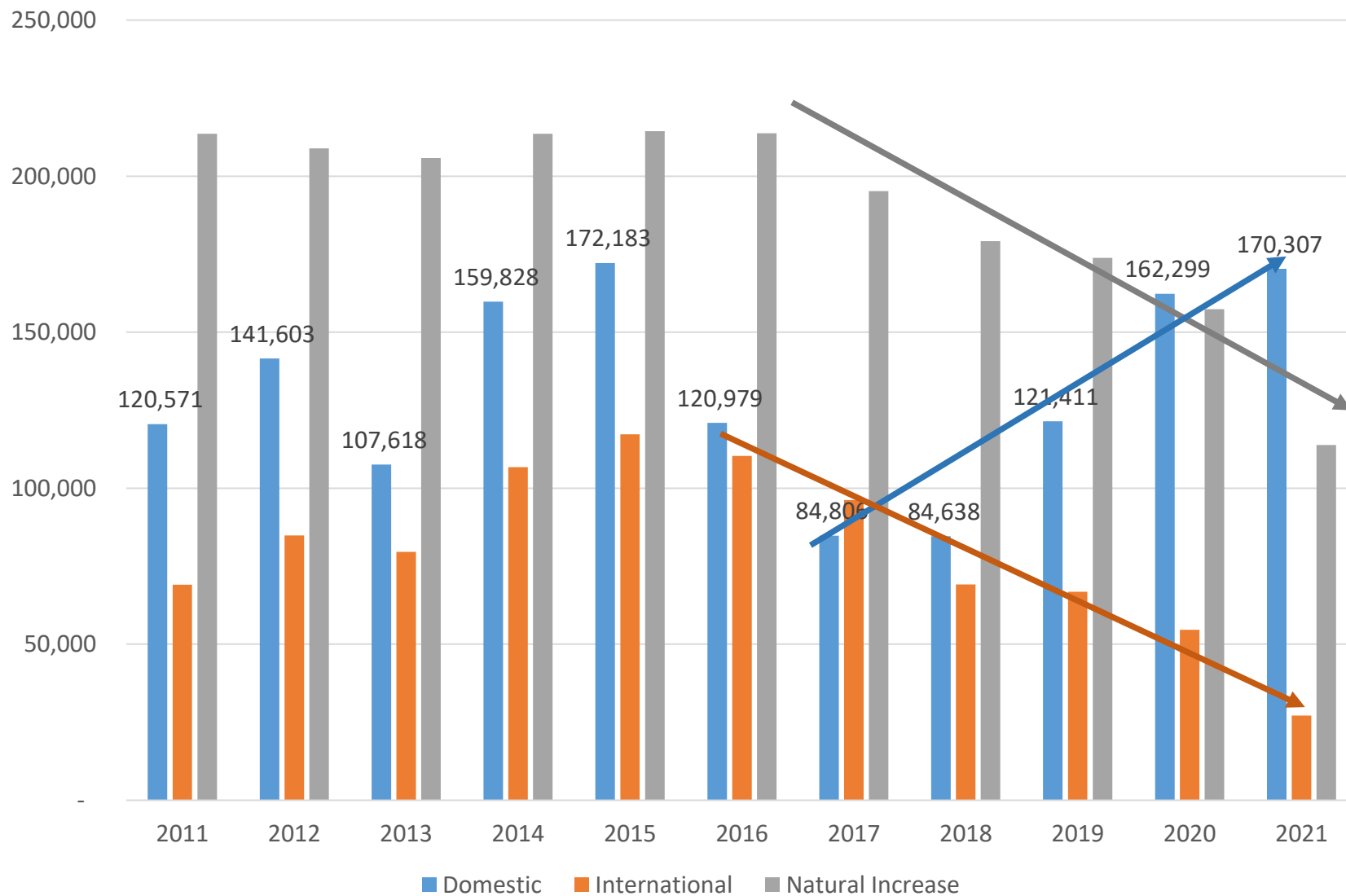
Counties with the most population growth by components of change, Texas, 2020-2021



Source: US Census Bureau, 2021 Population Estimates



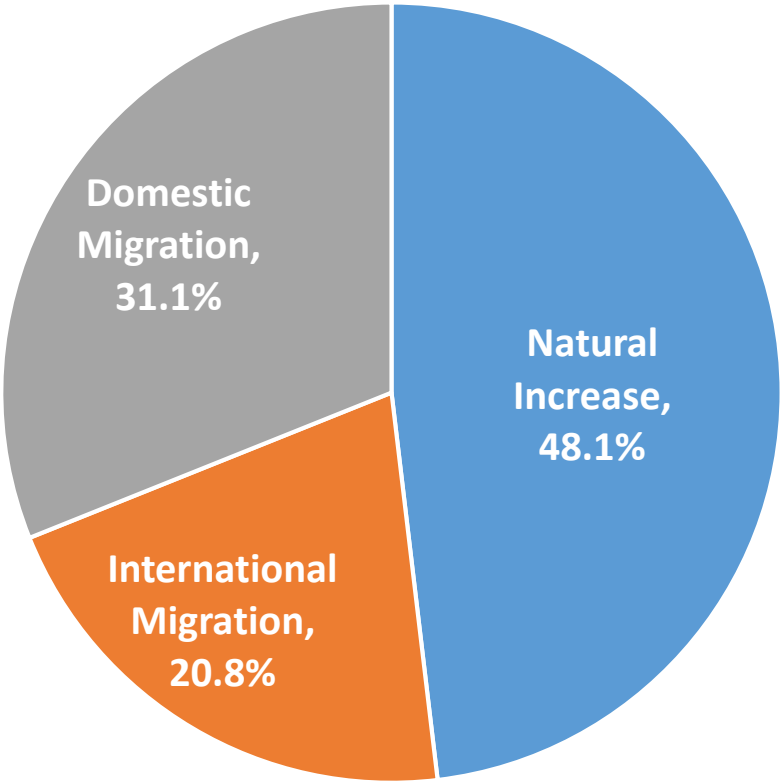
## Estimated Domestic and International Migration for Texas, 2011-2021



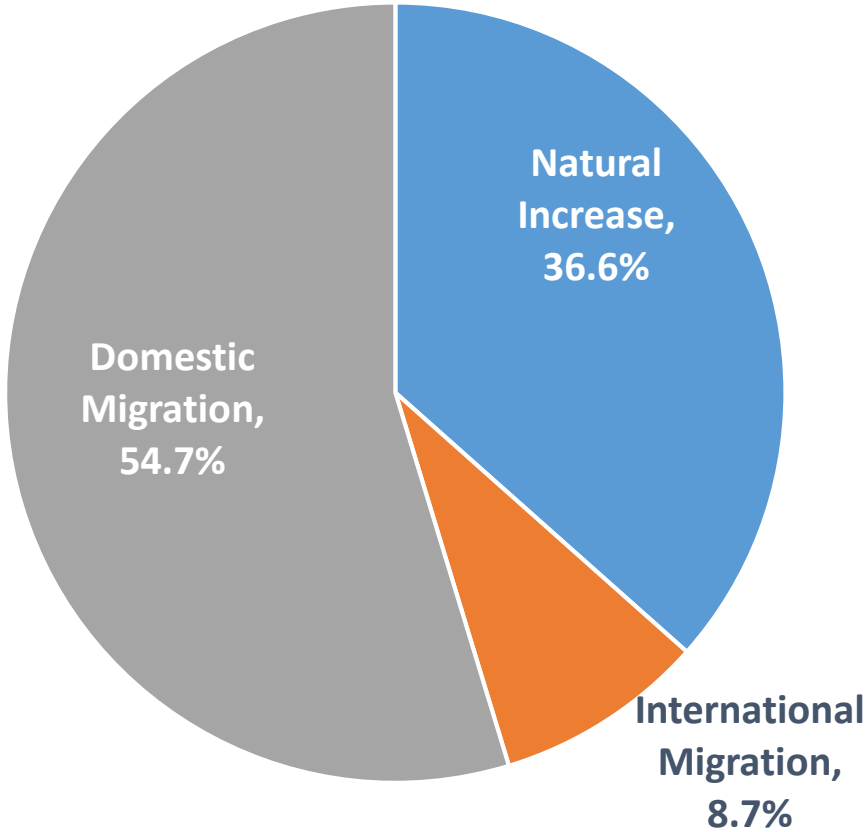


# Estimated Components of Population Change for Texas, 2010-2020 and 2020-2021

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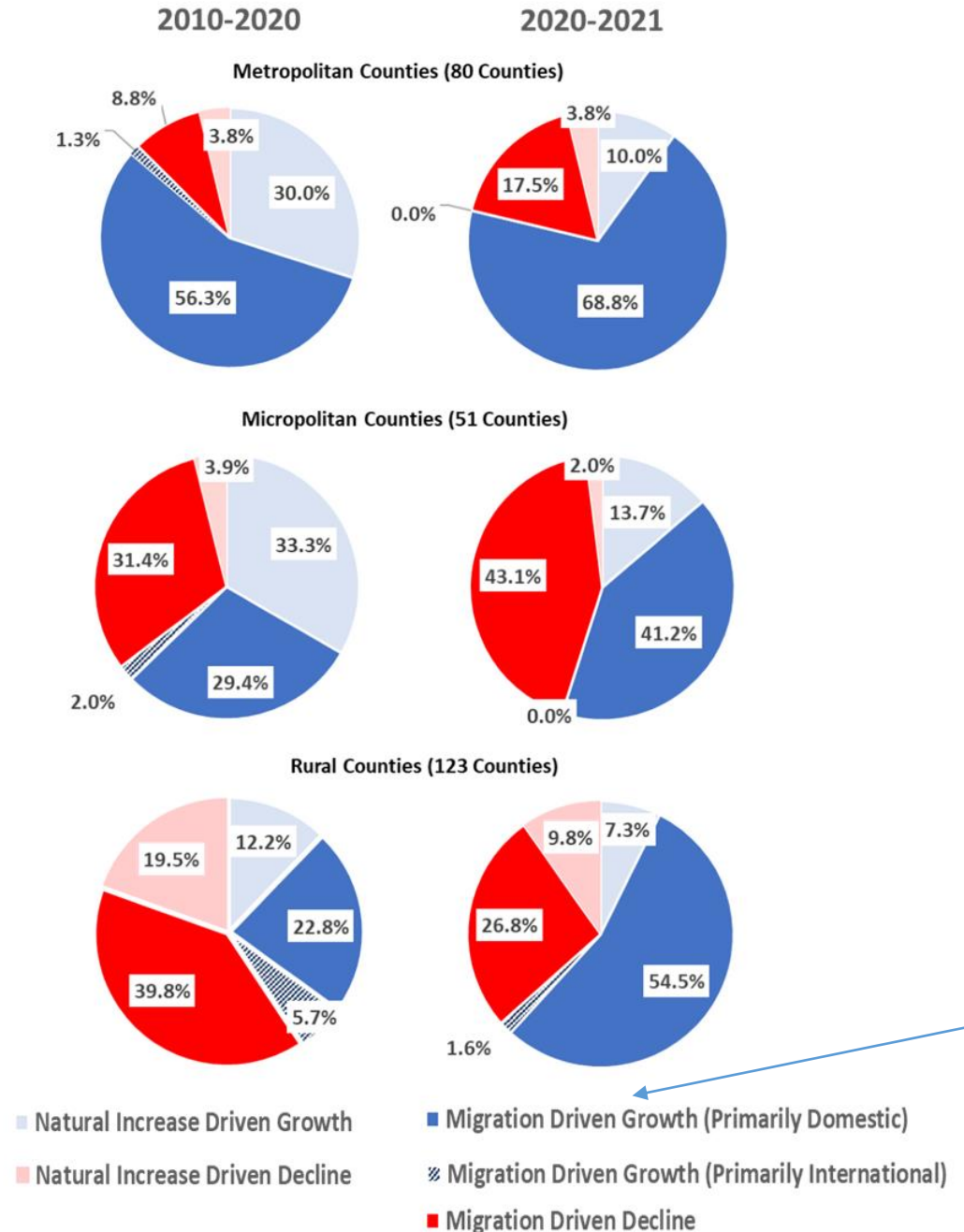


2020 to 2021



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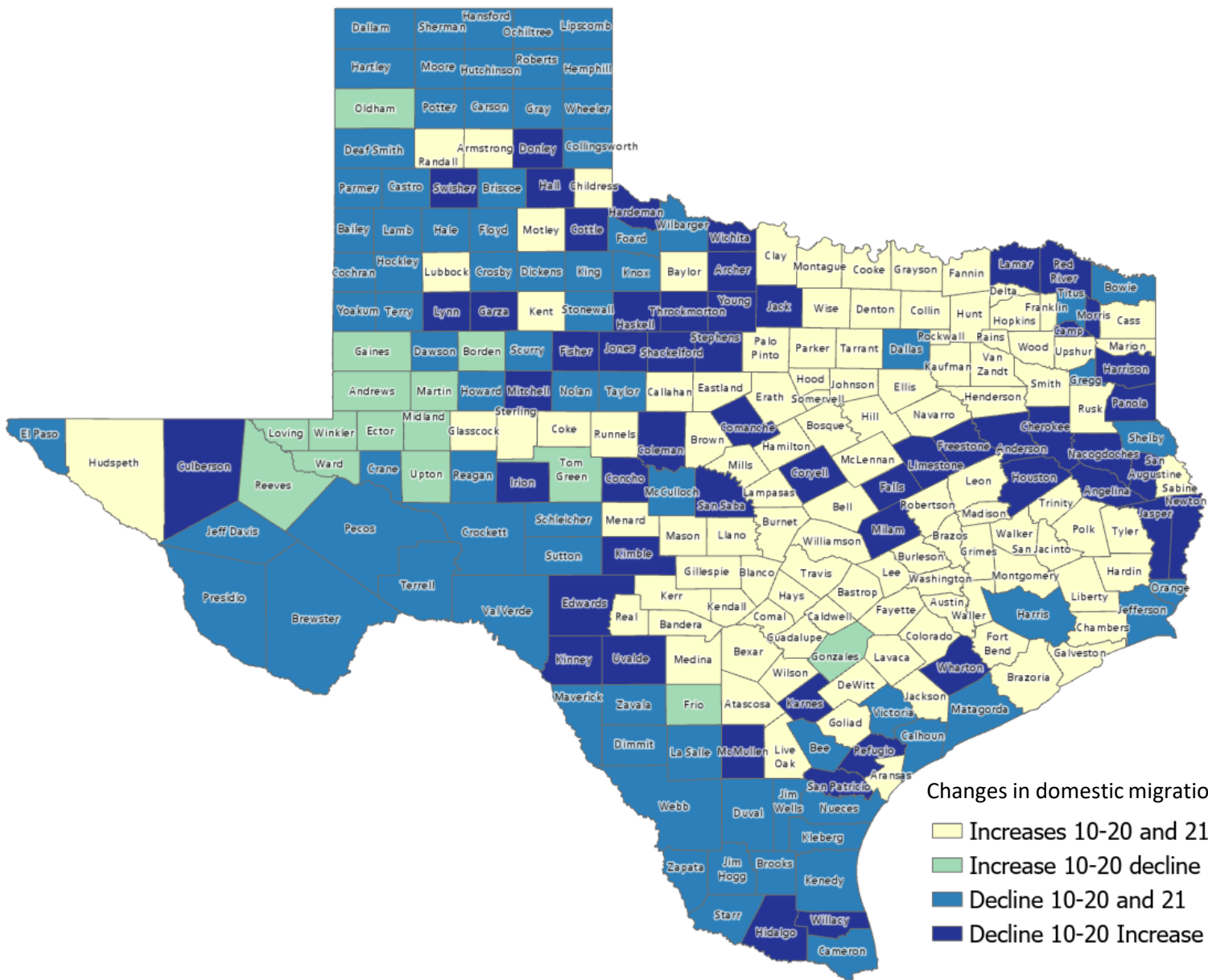
# Population Change by Type of Driving Force in Texas Counties, 2010-2020 & 2020-2021



Driven growth is defined as contributing at least 50% of the population change over the period



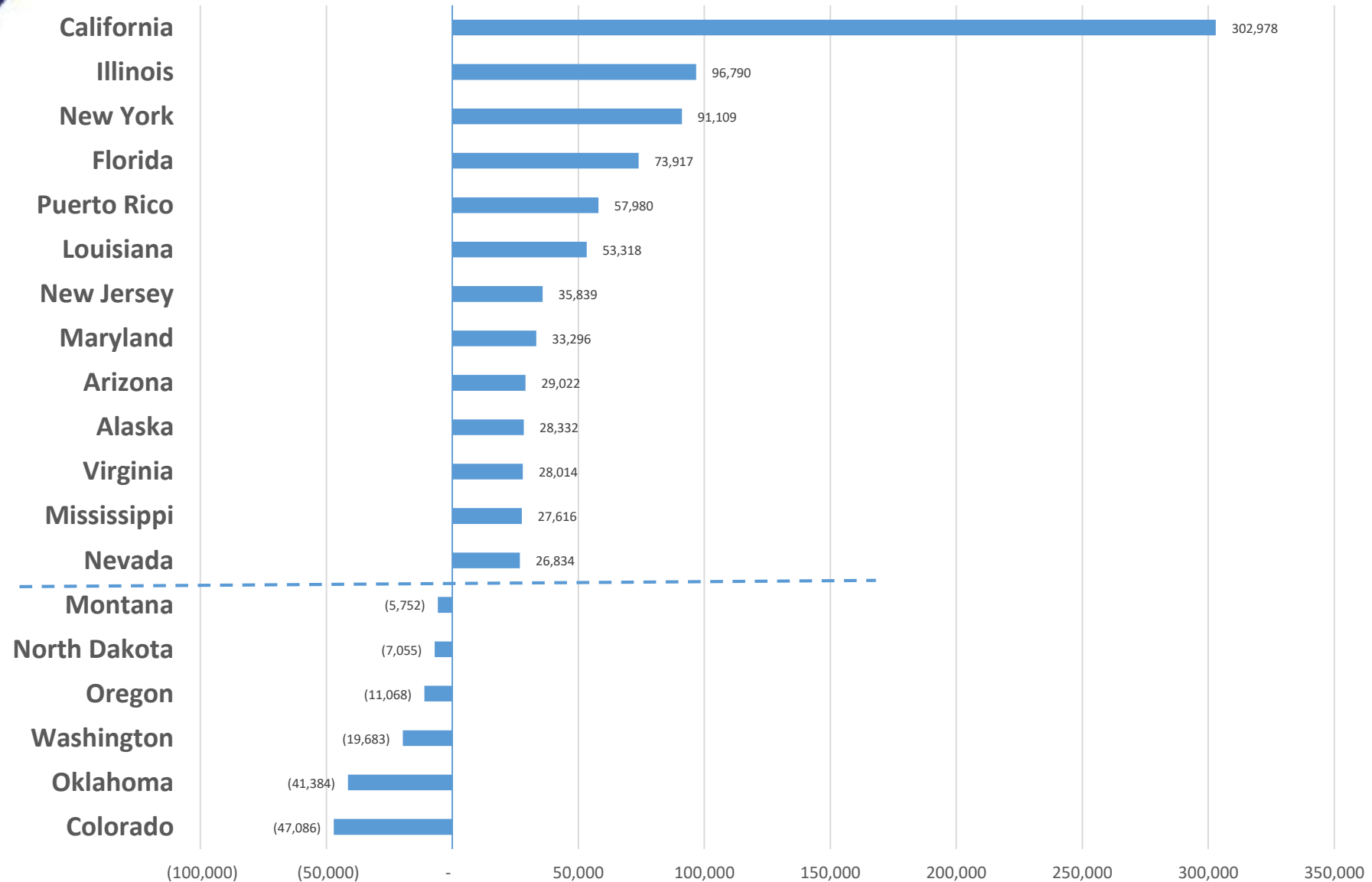
# Estimated Change from Domestic Migration Comparing 2010-20 and 2020-21, Texas Counties



Number of  
Counties



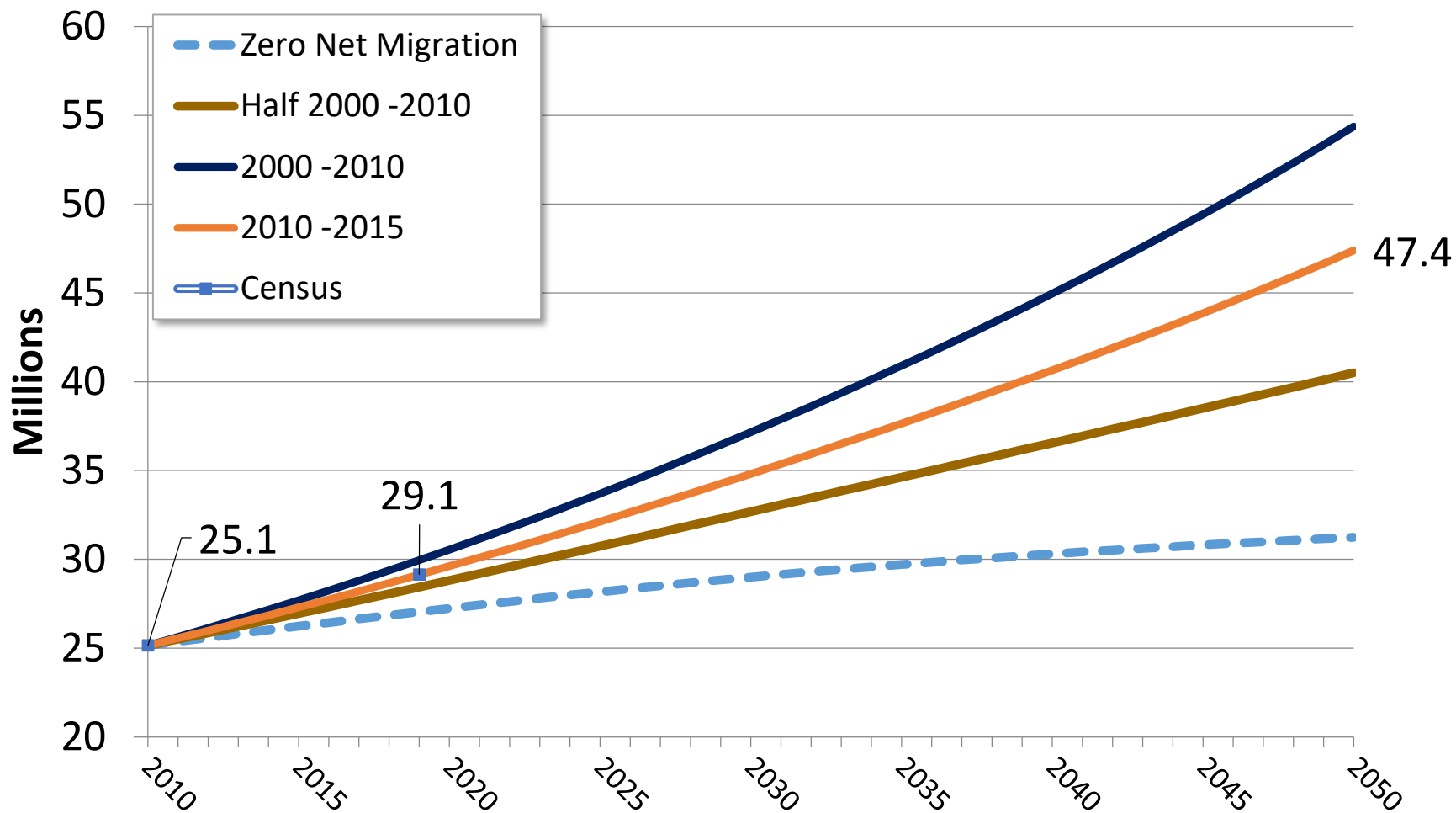
## Estimated Net Domestic Migrants Between Texas and Other States, 2010-2019





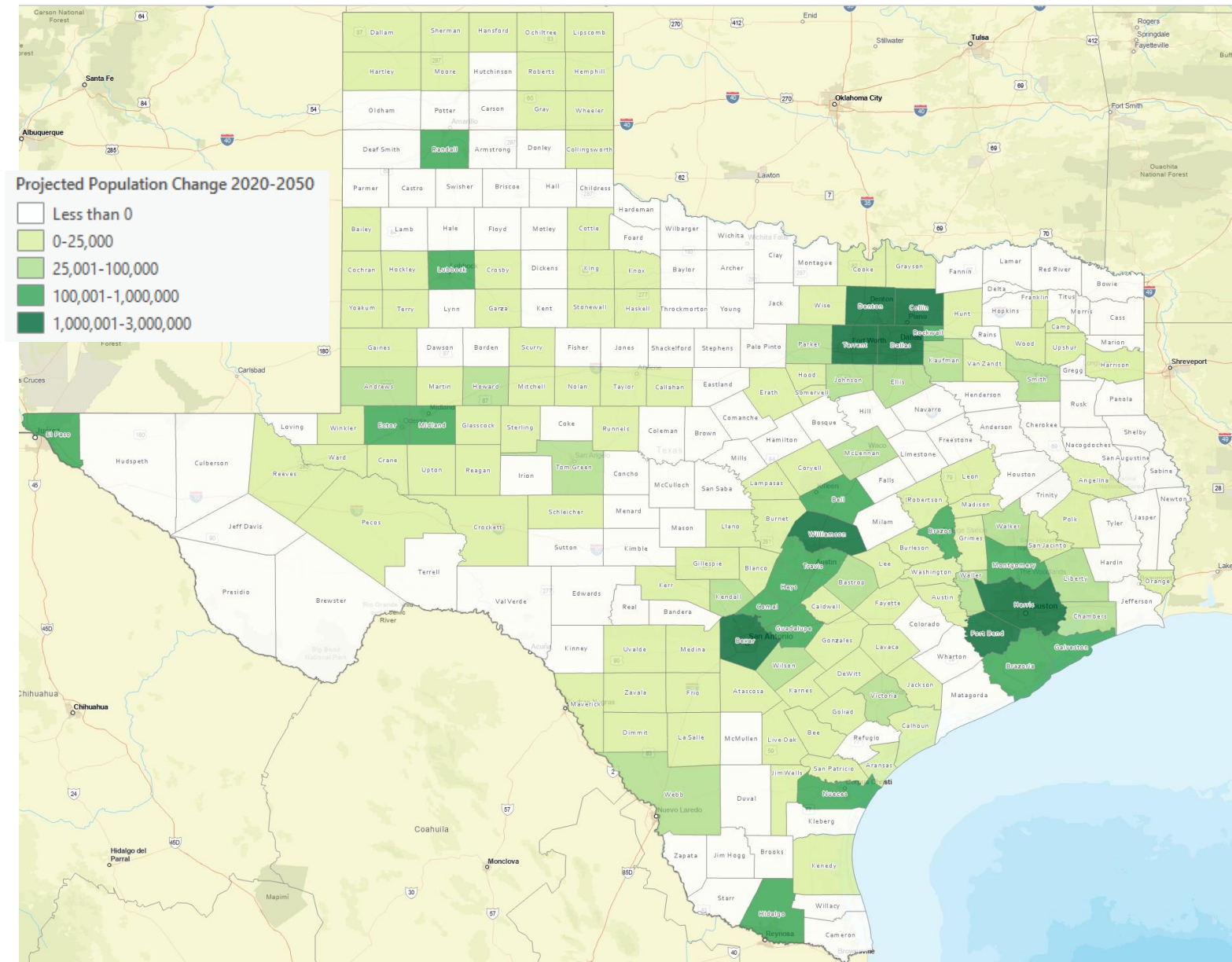


## Projected Population Growth in Texas, 2010-2050





# Projected Population Change, Texas Counties, 2020-2050







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